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In re Patent Application of



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Title: SUBSTRATE FOR INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM, INFORMATION
RECORDING MEDIUM AND PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

☐ **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.****Fees are attached as calculated below:**

Total effective claims after amendment 0 minus highest number
previously paid for 20 (at least 20) = 0 x \$50.00 \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$

Independent claims after amendment 0 minus highest number
previously paid for 3 (at least 3) = 0 x \$210.00 \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$

If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add
\$370.00 (1203)/\$185.00 (2203) \$

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this
paper and attachment(s)

One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251)
Two Month Extensions \$460.00 (1252)/\$230.00 (2252)
Three Month Extensions \$1050.00 (1253)/\$525.00 (2253)
Four Month Extensions \$1640.00 (1254)/\$820.00 (2254)
Five Month Extensions \$2,230.00 (1255)/\$1115.00 (2255) \$ 460.00

Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add

\$130.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814) \$

☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee \$180.00 (1806) \$ 0.00

Assignment Recording Fee \$40.00 (8021) \$ 0.00

Other: \$ 0.00

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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Applicants hereby submit this in response to the Office Action mailed September 19, 2007 ("Office Action").

A response to the Office Action was originally due December 19, 2007. Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time in which to submit a response or an amendment in response to the Office Action. The fee for a two-month extension of time is \$460 and a check in that amount is enclosed. Therefore, the deadline for responding to the Office Action is now February 19, 2008. Accordingly, this Amendment and Response is being timely filed.

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